

May 14, 2018

The Honorable Kim Wyman Secretary of State P.O. Box 40220 Olympia, WA 98504-0220

Dear Secretary Wyman:

I allocate \$600,000 to the Office of the Secretary of State, or so much thereof as may be necessary from the appropriation, for emergency purposes as provided by Laws of 2017, Chapter 1, Section 704, 3rd Special Session (Appropriation 611-4). Please submit the required allotment amendment in an "A" packet to the Office of Financial Management.

The purpose of this emergency fund allocation is to match funding provided by your office to pay for grants to Washington counties for prepaid postage election expenses.

Very truly yours,

Jay Inslee Governor

cc: David Postman, Office of the Governor

Charlie Gavigan, House Appropriations Committee

Michael Bezanson, Senate Ways and Means Committee

The Honorable Pat McCarthy, State Auditor

David Schumacher, Office of Financial Management

Aaron Butcher, Office of Financial Management